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In the May 4, 2004, action the examiner addressed claims 1 through 14 of the application. These claims were the original claims but a preliminary amendment (copy attached) was also filed with the original application on November 19, 2003. The preliminary amendment cancelled claims 1 through 14 and added new claims 15 through 38. It was claims 15 through 38 that should have been, but were not, addressed in the action of May 4, 2004. The applicant's reply dated June 30, 2004 (copy enclosed), inadvertently responded to the examiner's rejections of claims 1 through 14.

In a telephone conversation on July 28, 2004, the undersigned and the examiner agreed that the examiner, in his next action would examine claims 15 through 38 and withdraw his rejections of claims 1 through 14.

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